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A Mysterious Family History.

THREE CHILDREN TAKEN WILD OFF AN ISLAND IN LAKE HURON.

One morning about a month ago a man "of strange, wild mien," and not very respectable dress nor intelligent appearance, came to the Orphan's House in connection with the Sisters of St. Joseph, and knocked to the door. One of the Sisters came and opened it, and the man presented three children to be taken care off. The children bore a much stronger aspect than himself, and the group excited the suprise and wonder of the sisters. They consisted of a girl and two boys. The boys were clad in loose plaids and were attired altogether with a neatness and respectability which contrasted singularly with their deportment and looks, The girl was about fourteen years old, and was the eldest of the three. She was dressed in a plain and rustic style, but had an expression of much more intelligence than her younger brothers. All of them were small in stature, but the the boys especially so, and still they were not dwarfish. They ware not deformed, but there was an unnatural and inhuman appearance about them which could be suggested by scarcely any other word than deformity. Their oddly expressive eyes, their apish features, their thin, bony, lang-like hands, their slender limbs and attenuated forms, their strange apathy to what was said by their father, their general inattention, their peculiar way of crouching in the corners of the passage-way, made them an object of curiosity and pitying interest. They were led in by one of the sisters, who also invited the father—for such he announced himself in disjointed sentences to be—to partake of something to eat. But he refused in a hurried manner, saying that he had something in his pocket, and seemed fidgety to get away. As soon as the children were in the man left with the same wild, uninteligible stare which he wore throughout the short interview, and did not make any sign of parting or say a farewell word to his children, or indeed to any one. But as he passed out of the entrance he turned round and turtively looked in through the side lights of the door. Then he ran off hastily and was soon out of reach and out of sight. The children were taken into the Home and had food offered them. About two o'clock in the afternoon the wild looking father was seen to steal softly up to the convent and again entered the gate and peered inquisitively into the side lights. His offspring were not there, however, and the moment he saw he was observed, again fled and was seen no more. The youngest would not taste any food that was offered them, though they were as emaciated and exhausted as could be. Their hands resembled bird's claws more than anything else and their feet were but a cluster of bones. On talking to them it was found that they could not speak, albeit they possessed the natural capacity for articulation, having a full set of teeth, perfectly formed roof of the mouth, and tongue capable of every moement. Neither did they pay attention to any words or kind of noise. They have been kept and kindly cared for by the sisters ever since their advent. But it was discovered that the boys were afflicted with a desperate cough, and though every kindness has been bestowed upon them and every mode of treatment adopted, it is not thought likely they will survive long. However, they appeared to be gaining strength for some time after being introduced. Their stay in the house has shown them to have lived in the wildest manner and to have been totally unacquainted with the habits of civilized people. They can utter no articulate sound, as was said, but at various times they have been heard to give vent to a weird cry, entirely unlike any human utterance, but somewhat resembling the low wail of some wild animal. This is the sole expression the boys have been known to make, but the girl seems much more intelligent, and can speak common words, though she knows nothing of the ways of civilized life. The boys have a constant habit of crouching in corners, and one of them sits with one shoulder "hunched up." as if by malformation. They prefer raw edibles to cooked food, and have only lately taken to eating at the table. At first they greedily devoured raw cabbage, leaves of turnips, andeven have been known to gulp up the swill that stood in the pail. Of the commonest acts of decency they at first had no idea (showing their former habits of life), but they have latterly improved in many respects. They sleep mostly in the day time, and at night wander around the rooms, one of them being found one night in a dangerous position on a staircase in the middle of the night. As to their former history only this is known, that they were found by Father Cherrier, of Owen Sound R C Mission, on a lonely isle in Lake Huron, where the father lived with these strange chidren and would allow no one but themselves to live there. The Father seeing their condition obtained the father's permission at last to have them taken to a refuge and cared for. The parent came with them volnntarily and brought them here. The parents of these singular beings were not married but are said to have been nearly related. The mother has been dead for years. A letter is expected here giving a sketch of their history—"Hamilton Spectator.

OLD CHICORY is almost a thing of the past. Finlayson's Coffee presides over the present. It has now superseded what used to be claimed as "superior to any other manufactured on this coast," and will soon be found on every well-furnished table in the Province. Prepared at his premises on Fort street, and sold by all the principal dealers.

PRIVATE BOARD AND LODGING.—Mrs. Bonwick, of Vancouver House, Vancouver street, near Angela College, has suitable accommodation for families and single persons on moderate terms. Board or lodging only, if preferred. Will also take charge of children from a distance whose parents or guardians are desirious of their attending school at Victoria.

F. S. BUSHELL,

PIANOFORTE TUNER AND REGULATOR,

y3 1y KANE STREET, VICTORIA.

NOTICE.

MR. HENRY MITCHELL HAS RETIRed from the business carried on by himself and Mr. Johnston as Florists, Seedsmen and Nurserymen, under the style of "Mitchell & Johnston," and the partnership has been dissolved by mutual consent.

The business will in future be conducted under the tyle of "Mitchell & Johnston" by Mr. Johnston alone, and he will collect all accounts and discharge all liabilities of the late firm.

J. ROLAND HETT,
Counsel for Henry Mitchell and Philip T. Johnston.
Bastion st., Victoria, 18th Nov., 1874. no19dw

VICTORIA
NURSERY AND SEED
ESTABLISHMENT.

Mitchell & Johnston.

MR. P. T. JOHNSTON BEGS TO THANK the public of Victoria and British Columbia for the liberal patronage accorded to the late firm of Mitchell & Johnston and trusts by increased exertions to merit a continuance of the same.

Arrangements have been made to obtain an

Experienced Nursery Gardener

From England in the Spring, until when Mr. Henry Mitchell has kindly consented to take charge of the Nursery Department.

A LARGE STOCK OF
FRUIT & ORNAMENTAL TREES
FOR SALE AT REDUCED PRICES.
no19dw

REMOVAL.

R. Maynard,

HAVING REMOVED HIS
BOOT, SHOE AND LEATHER STORE
TO THE COR. OF DOUGLAS & JOHNSON STS.
Is now prepared to receive orders for every description of
BOOTS AND SHOES.
Parties in the Trade can be supplied with all kinds of
FRENCH KIP AND CALF,
UPPERS IN GREAT VARIETY,
Also, SEWING MACHINES adapted for Shoemakers,
oc23 CASH PAID FOR HIDES.

Family Sewing & Dress-making.

MRS. MACDONALD,
Top of Fort street, 3d door above Mr. Heywood's residence,
IS PREPARED TO DO FAMILY SEWING, and Fit and Make Dresses with neatness and dispatch no5 1m

ON HING,
Dealer in
Groceries, Dry Goods,
Boots and Shoes, Clothing, Hats and Caps
HAS REMOVED
To Johnson street, one door East of Eastman's Butcher Shop.
Manufactures Drawers, Undershirts, Overalls, etc., which he offers for sale by Wholesale no Retail, at Low Rates. ja11 2m

Historical Chart.

SUBSCRIBERS OF HISTORICAL CHART, &c., will please expect delivery about the beginning of November next, ensuing.
F. L. TUCKFIELD,
no29dw Agent for same.

Hotels, Saloons, &c.

AUSTRALIAN HOTEL,
JAMES BAY BRIDGE, VICTORIA.
FURNISHES THE BEST ACCOMMODAtion for Travelers to be had in Victoria.
Board per Week....$5 00 | Single Meals..... 37½cts
Board per Day..... 1 00 | Sea Water Baths, 3 for $1.
Separate Rooms Furnished.
Music and Pleasure Boats for the use of Patrons of the Hotel.
The Table is supplied with the Best in the Market.
oc10 W. G. S. SEELEY, Proprietor.

ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL,
GOVERNMENT STREET,
TREHART & HEMENOVER, - - - PROPRIETORS.
TWO NEW BILLIARD TABLES
FITTED WITH
Phelan's Patent Fast Wire Cushions
Billiard players should give them a trial. The Fastest Tables in the City.
The Best of WINES, LIQUORS and CIGARS at the Bar. se17

Colonial Hotel and Driard House.
GOVERNMENT AND VIEW STREETS, VICTORIA B.C.
THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING PURCHASED the Colonial Hotel and Driard House, will spare no effort to keep the establishments in first class style and render guests as comfortable as in any house on the Coast.
None but the Best Wines, Liquors and Cigars will be dispensed.
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Pacific Telegraph Hotel,
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Andrew Astrico, - - Proprietor.
THE MOST COMMODIOUS AND CLEAN Hotel in Victoria. It is conducted on the European principle. The Table is supplied with the very best the market affords.
MEALS at all hours of the day. Private Dining Rooms for Families.
CHARGES—Board and Lodging per Week, $5 50 to $6 50; Board and Lodging per day, $1 Single Meals, 37½ cents; Beds, 50 cents.
Terms—Cash in advance.
Fire-proof Safe in the House.
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ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL
—AND—
RESTAURANT,
Government St., Victoria.
TABLE ROOMS FIRST-CLASS
Rate of Charges, Meals 50 Cents.
JOHN J. JACOBS, Proprietor.

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LATE BAILEY'S LATE EBERHARDT'S
CHARLES MORTON, PROPRETOR.
THIS OLD ESTABLISHED BUSINESS having been purchased by the above, will be carried on with strict regard for the comfort of his patrons, and he hopes by so doing to merit a continuance of the liberal share of patronage accorded his predecessor.
The Scale of Charges:

Board and Lodging per Week	$ 6 00
do do per Day	1 00
Board per Week	5 00
Single Meals	37½
Beds	50

The Bar is well supplied with the best Wines, Liquors and Cigars.
A Fireproof Safe in the House. oc 28 dwtf

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.
GEORGIAN BAY BRANCH.
SEALED PROPOSALS FOR THE CONSTRUction of the Georgian Bay Branch of the Canadian Pacific Railway will be received by the Department of Public Works at Ottawa until the hour of Noon on **Monday, the Twenty-first (21st) day of December next.**
Intending contractors must give satisfactory evidence that they possess a capital of at least Four Thousand (4,000) Dollars per mile, of which Twenty-five (25) per cent. must be deposited with the Receiver-General, or placed to his credit in one of the Chartered Banks of the Dominion, in money or in Government Securities, before their Tender can be accepted.
The length of this Branch will be about Eighty-five miles. Specifications and general conditions, with a Plan or Map showing the Route and such information as the Government possesses concerning the country through which the line passes, may be obtained at this Department on and after **Monday, November Sixteenth.**
Forms of Tender will also be supplied on application after the above dates, and no Tender will be received except on such form. Tenders to be endorsed **"Georgian Bay Branch."**
The Government will not be bound to accept the Lowest or any Tender.
(Signed) F. BRAUN,
Secretary Public Works Department.
OTTAWA, Nov. 6th, 1874. no11dw

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MAILS.	ARRIVE.	CLOSE.
Canada, Great Britain Europe, and U. S., via San Francisco	About the 10th and 25th of each Month	About the 12th and 27th of each month.
Do. via Tacoma	Monday and Thursday 2 P.M.	Tuesday 10:30 A.M; Thursday 6:30 P.M.
New Westminster, Yale and Intermediate Offices.	Wednesday at 2.30 P.M	Tuesday at 7:30 A.M.
New Westminster, Cariboo and Intermediate Offices.	Saturday 2:30 P.M.	Friday at 7:30 A.M.
Nanaimo and East Coast Offices	Thursday at 5 P.M.	Monday at 7 P.M.
Esquimalt	Daily at 10:30 A.M. and 2:30 P.M.	Daily, at 11 A.M. and 4 P.M.
Metchosin	Monday, 1 P.M.	Tuesday, 12 Noon.
Saanich	Thursday, 10 A.M.	Wednesday, 9 A.M.
Sooke	Monday, 3 P.M.	Tuesday, 9 A.M.

Letters for Registration must be posted half an hour before closing of each mail.

MONEY ORDERS

On Money Order Offices throughout the Dominion, Great Britain and Ireland, and Newfoundland, and at the offices at Barkerville, Clinton, Nanaimo, New Westminster and Yale, in this Province, can be obtained at this office.

OFFICE HOURS—From 8 A. M. to 7 P. M.
FOR MONEY ORDERS—From 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

POST OFFICE, VICTORIA, 1st Nov., 1874.
HENRY WOOTTON, Postmaster.
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Insurance.

THE ACCIDENT
INSURANCE COMPANY
OF CANADA.
PRESIDENT—SIR A. T. GALT, K. C. M. G.
VICE PRESIDENT—JOHN RANKIN, ESQ.
EDWARD RAWLINGS, ESQ., Manager, Montreal.
MINIMUM PREMIUMS:
$3 Per Annum Insures $1000 in case of Fatal Accident.
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$5 Per Annum secures both the above Insurances.
$2.25 Insures $1000 in case of Fatal Accident on voyage to and from San Francisco.
T. ALLSOP & CO.,
oc25dw Agents, Victoria.

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE
INSURANCE COMPANY,
ESTABLISHED, 1809.
CAPITAL, $2,000,000 STERLING,
Accumulated Funds - - £3,286,126,
LOSSES SETTLED WITH PROMPTITUDE AND LIBERALITY.
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Standard Life Assurance Company,
Head Office, 3 and 5 George st., Edinburgh,
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THE REPORT of the Forty-eighth General Annual Meeting of the Company held in Edinburgh, 29th April last, can be had on application at the Company's Agency.
THE COMPANY has Divided Profits on Eight occasions since its establishment in 1825.
THE SURPLUS FUND divided amongst the policyholders in 1870 amounted to the large sum of £331,591 13s.
ANNUAL INCOME upwards of £700,000.
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LOWE, STAHLSCHMIDT & CO.,
jy23 AGENTS, VICTORIA.

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Instituted, 1803.
FOR INSURING HOUSES AND OTHER Buildings, Goods, Wares, Merchandise, Manufacturing and Farming Stock, Ships in Port, Harbor or Dock, and the Cargoes of such ships; also, Ships building or repairing, Barges or other Vessels, on navigable rivers and canals, and Goods on board such vessels, throughout Great Britain and Ireland, and in Foreign Countries, from loss or damage by Fire.
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Risks Accepted at Current Rates of Premium.
WELCH, RITHET & Co.,
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This Association issues all the most approved forms of Policies—all non-forfeiting by charter. Its principle of non-forfeiture more favorable to assured than that of any other company.
A strong company which combines strength of capital, character and local influence and provides life insurance at the lowest safe rates without delusive promises of dividends, making a good dividend CERTAIN by decreasing the premium.
By its organization it enables each policyholder to deal with his own neighbors, stockholders in the company—men whom he knows will do justice to his family after he is dead, and also provides that its funds will be invested to develop the resources of his own country and locality.
A company with capital and breadth enough to be safe beyond question, with national extent and prestige, and yet a home company throughout the Dominion.
WILLIAM McCABE,
General Manager, Toronto.
The fullest information will be cheerfully furnished on application to
JOHN ROBSON, Government st., Victoria,
General Agent for British Columbia and Washington Territory. oc22

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THE UNION INSURANCE COMP'Y
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Capital Stock - - - - $750,000.
For Insuring Merchandise, Treasure, Commissions, Profits, &c. For Information, Rates of Premium, &c., &c., apply to
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Established, 1782.
For Insuring every kind of Property in all Parts of the World from Loss or Damage by Fire.
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The security offered to the Public by the Phœnix Office is unlimited, comprising in addition to the large invested capital of the Company the whole fortunes of numerous proprietors composed of some of the most opulent merchants and others in the United Kingdom. Annual and short time Insurances are effected upon all kinds of property in Vancouver Island and British Columbia on the most favorable terms.
Prompt cash payment and full power to settle all losses and claims without referring to the Head Office in London.
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THE RIGHT HON. THE EARL OF DALKEITH, M. P.
THE RIGHT HON. THE EARL OF STAIR, K. T.
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MANAGER & ACTUARY—Wm. Thos. Thompson, F.R.S.E
COLONIAL & FOREIGN SECRETARY—D. Clunie Gregor.
Total Amount of Invested Funds, £4,095,589 16 2.
Annual Revenue, £703,450 19 9.
AGENTS IN VICTORIA.
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jo15 Wharf Street

THE FOLLOWING
IS AN
EXTRACT FROM A LETTER
NORTON'S PILLS
dated 15th May, 1872, from an old inhabitan of Horningsham, near Warminster, Wilts:—
"I must also beg to say that your Pills are an excellent medicine for me, and I certainly do enjoy good health, sound sleep and a good appetite; this is owing to taking your Pills. I am 78 years old.
"Remaining, Gentlemen, yours very respectfully, L. S."
To the Proprietors of
NORTON'S CAMOMILE PILLS, London.
jy31w

CHOICE BUTTER!
PARTIES IN WANT OF
BUTTER,
FOR HOTEL OR FAMILY USE,
Can be supplied by the undersigned in quantities to suit.
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J. CUNNINGHAM,
NEW WESTMINSTER.
Nov. 17th, 1874. no19 1m

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Notices.

NOTICE.
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MR. HELMCKEN
MAY BE CONSULTED AT HIS OFFICE Victoria, between the hours of 9 and 12 in the morning, or at his residence, James Bay, in the evening mh4

Private Bills.

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY, 12th March, 1874.

NOTICE OF INTENDED APPLICATION FOR a Private Bill, clearly and distinctly specifying the nature and object of the application, must be published in the British Columbia GAZETTE and in a newspaper published in the District affected, or if there be no newspaper published therein, then in a newspaper in the nearest District in which a newspaper is published. Such notice must be continued for six weeks prior to the consideration of the petition for the Bill. The Rules relative to notices of Private Bills are published in full in the British Columbia GAZETTE.

J. ROLAND HETT,
mh17 Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

PRIVATE BILLS.

PARTIES intending to make application to Parliament for Private Bills, either for granting exclusive privileges, or conferring corporate powers for commercial or other purposes of profit, or for doing anything tending to affect the rights or property of other parties, are hereby notified that they are required by the Rules of the two Houses of Parliament (which are published in full in the "Canada Gazette", to give TWO MONTHS' NOTICE of the application (clearly and distinctly specifying its nature and object), in the "Canada Gazette," and also in a newspaper published in the County or Union of Counties affected, sending copies of the Papers containing the first and last of such notices to the Private Bill Office of each House.

All Petitions for Private Bills must be presented within the FIRST THREE WEEKS of the Session.

The fee now payable for a Private Bill is Two HUNDRED DOLLARS.

ROBERT LEMOINE,
Clerk of the Senate.
ALFRED PATRICK,
oc17 2mdw Clerk of the House of Commons.

British Columbia Agricultural Society

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THIS SOciety, for the Election of Officers for the ensuing term, will be held at the Municipal Council Chambers on Saturday the 5th December next, at 1 p. m.

By Order, THOS. RUSSELL, Secty.
Victoria, 2d Nov., 1874. no3dw

Copartnership Notice.

WE THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING THIS day admitted THOMAS L. BRIGGS and DAVID KURTZ as partners in our business, hereby give notice that, from and after this date, the business will be carried on under the name and style of STROUSS, BRIGGS, KURTZ & CO.

C. STROUSS & CO.
Victoria, B. C., Oct. 31st, 1874. no1dw

In Re the Estate of William Diederichs, Deceased.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE ABOVE Estate are hereby required to pay their accounts to the undersigned, and all persons having claims against the said Estate are requested to send in particulars forthwith.

WM. A. JOHNSTON,
Executor, 42-Mile House, B.C.
Dated 6th October, 1874. oo16dw

In the Legislative Assembly

SESSION, 1874-5.

CITY OF VICTORIA WATER-WORKS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT IT is intended to make application to the Legislative Assembly, during the next ensuing Session, for leave to bring in a Bill to amend the "Corporation of Victoria Water-works Act, 1873," so as to enable the Corporation of the City of Victoria to issue Debentures to the extent of $50,000 in addition to those already issued under the provision of the said Act, for the purpose of completing the Water-works of the said City of Victoria.

WM. LEIGH,
no6 Clerk to the Corporation.

TENDERS

WILL BE RECEIVED ON BEHALF OF the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, on Monday, the 30th inst., for scraping and painting about Two Thousand Shot and Shell.

Particulars can be obtained on personal application any day between 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. (Saturday afternoons excepted.)

The lowest tender not necessarily accepted.

J. H. INNES,
Royal Naval Yard, Naval Storkeeper.
Esquimalt, 18th Nov., 1874. no20

NOTICE.

Estate of August Hoffmeister, deceased.

ALL CREDITORS OF THE ESTATE ARE to send in their claims, and all debtors to the Estate are required to pay their accounts to the undersigned on or before the 18th of January, 1875.

EMIL SUTRO, Executor.
Victoria, 18th Nov., 1874. no18 2m

A. Casamayou & Co.,
YATES ST., VICTORIA.
COMMISSION MERCHANTS AND WHOLesale Dealers in
GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, HAVANA CIGARS
jy18 And French Preserves.

FREDERICK REYNOLDS
FAMILY
BUTCHER,
Wholesale and Retail Dealer in
Meats and Vegetables,
PURVEYOR BY APPOINTMENT TO HER MAJESTY ROYAL NAVY.
THE BEST ASSORTMENT OF ISLAND and Mainland BEEF AND MUTTON constantly on hand.
Hotels, Restaurants and Families supplied at short notice, and Meats delivered FREE OF CHARGE to any part of the City or Suburbs with accuracy and dispatch.
Ships and Steamers supplied by contract LOW.
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LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S SHOES AND HOSIERY
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Cheaper than any other house in the City.
TEA, COFFEE, BUTTER & CHEESE a speciality.
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CERTIFIED BY ENGLISH AND AMERIcan Consuls at Canton as being duly qualified, respectfully solicits the attention of the afflicted.
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FRIDAY MORNING, NOV. 27TH, 1874.

L. P. FISHER, 20 and 21 New Merchants' Exchange is our authorized Agent in San Francisco.

The Fly on the Wheel.

Everybody, we suppose, has read the fable of the conceited little fly perched on the carriage-wheel in motion and exclaiming, "See what a dust I raise!"—in its overweaning vanity imagining itself the motive-power by which the carriage was propelled. How often one sees the same principle or idiosyncrasy illustrated in human life and action. Take, for instance, the attitude of our local contemporary and its masters relative to Mr. Walkem's mission to London and its alleged influence upon the policy and actions of the Dominion Government. In this respect the local Government may not inaptly be represented as sitting on the wheel of progress and saying, "See what a dust I raise!"—evidently overlooking the obvious fact that the wheel revolves in spite of the incumbrance. Take for example the following, which appeared in yesterday's issue of the fly-on-the-wheel organ:—"There is a rumor afloat that the railway will be commenced at Yale, head of navigation, and that tenders for construction will shortly be called for. The mission to London is doing good work. Yesterday we announced that steel rails are about to be shipped to British Columbia to be used in the building of the line." This is but a specimen of the numerous paragraphs with which our contemporary has, during the past few months, spiced its monotonous third page of stale news and bogus communications. The wonder is that it did not seize hold of the Canadian Pacific Telegraph and proclaim it as one of the results of Walkem's mission—shout at the planting of the first poil in the rear of Messrs. Mara and Wilson's store, "See what a dust I raise!" And in all probability it would have claimed that as one of Walkem's triumphs, were it not that it had early committed itself in opposition to that turn of the wheel, most likely on the high and patriotic ground of being "down on" the enterprising contractor. But just watch and see if it does not attribute to Walkem's mission every future turn of the wheel. Mr. Mackenzie has ever and on all fitting occasions declared it to be the policy and determination of his Administration to push the surveys in British Columbia with the utmost vigor consistent with a due regard to economy and to place the railway under contract as soon after the location of the line as possible. But what of that? Mr. Mackenzie didn't mean what he said; and when the time (not many months distant) for making the commencement of actual railway construction on the Mainland shall have arrived we shall doubtless hear the fabled exclamation, "See what a dust I raise!" It is quite true that for more than six months Mr. Mackenzie has been offering a compromise by which, while the interests of the Mainland would be better secured and promoted than under the old, broken, impossible covenant, railway construction would be at once begun on the Island; but we risk nothing in predicting that, should this matter be arranged and railway work on the Island gone on with in spite of the local Government, that also will be claimed as one of the results of Walkem's mission; and at the turning of the first sod at Esquimalt will be heard the exclamation, "See what a dust I raise!" But it matters little after all. As the good-natured coal-heaver said—"It dosen't hurt oi, and it pleases she." It is a comforting reflection that the great wheel of Progress will roll on in spite of this obstructive fly. Mr. Mackenzie will continue steadily and unostentatiously to pursue his honest policy of constructing the great work towards which all eyes turn, quietly humming, "Shoo fly. Don't bodder me." Already have the Eastern branches and the telegraph, which really forms a preliminary part of the greater work, been put under contract; and we feel quite justified in asserting that the surveys in British Columbia have now advanced sufficiently to enable the route to be selected and the line located, and that this will be done in time to have tenders in and the contracts for the initial sections (or sub-sections) sanctioned by Parliament at its next session; and thus will actual railway construction on the Mainland be begun next summer. But, then, don't you see all that will be attributable to Walkem's mission? "See what a dust I raise!"

Who Vas It.

Who vas it proke mine gate avay
Und in mine garden eat all day,
Und on my flower ped rool and play?
Der Cows.

Who vas it goes mine house around
Und mid his shnout tored up de ground,
Und never yet has seen dat Bound?
Der Hogs.

Who vas it comes in of mine lot,
Upon my front steps to squat,
Und mit me has no puseness got?
Der Geese.

Who was it, ven der month goes py
Draws out der bank bills on der shly,
Und at der gattles vinks one eye?
Dat Bound-keeper.

Who deu allows does tings to be,
To trouble honest mens like me,
Und leave mine yard midout a tree?
Dose Council.

[Ottawa Free Press.]

SEASONABLE.—At London House there is an immense assortment of Umbrellas in Gingham, Alpaca and Silk of all qualities and sizes at extremely low prices. ***

A Newspaper Failure.

"Current Events" in the *Canadian Monthly* tells a plain story of the causes which have hindered the success of the Toronto *Mail*. Many of the points will be appreciated by every reader who has watched closely the career of that journal, and who deprecates the kind of political warfare in which it has indulged. The following is an extract:

Into this scrape, and some others of the same kind, the *Mail* has been betrayed by the same temper, or the same influence which has led it to depart generally from its programme, and thereby to disappoint the hopes of its friends and of the public. Its programme led us to believe that it would not be the mere tool of a political clique, but a good general newspaper, and on this basis its founders not only appealed to the public, but, if we are rightly informed, obtained subscriptions. In point of literary ability, of enterprise in the collection of news, and of typography, the *Mail* has not fallen short of the general expectation, though the literary ability has almost been quenched by the fetid stream of party invective and personality. In other respects it has been a calamitous disappointment. From the very outset it became the tool not only of a clique, but almost of a single politician. Instead of raising, it has lowered the standard of public manners; instead of purifying the political atmosphere, it has loaded it with a fresh taint. That the line it has taken has been the best for its stockholders, nobody can believe who has not persuaded himself that a narrow constituency is a better basis of circulation than a broad one. One of the most successful orators who ever addressed the masses used to say that there were two things which always told with them—a good story and a generous sentiment. Even for the purpose of a party, the object should have been to gain the public ear, which cannot be done without, at least, simulating moderation. Nothing could be more suicidal, even in a party point of view, than to trample on the public conscience, as the *Mail* did at the time of the Pacific Railway scandal.

The North-West.

From the latest advices received, it would appear that the Mounted Police force has produced a salutary effect on the whiskey traders who carried their demoralizing traffic into the Indian Territory of the North-west. Assistant Commissioner McLeod communicates from Old Man's River, under date Oct. 27th, to the effect that he visited and searched Fort Whoopup on the 10th of that month. The fort is situated at the junction of St. Mary's and Belly Rivers. It is a large establishment. The building is of timber, 165 feet by 140 feet. It had been unquestionably the centre of the liquor traffic in the Northwest country. The traders, however, seem to have considered discretion the better part of valor, inasmuch as they had taken care to remove their stock of liquor, and instead of fighting for the maintenance of their establishment, they were quite disposed to sell it. The Assistant Commissioner had brought the force across to Old Man's River, and was about forming a camp just under Porcupine Hill. The grass was pretty good, but there was not much hay.

New Advertisements.

Steamer Enterprise.

AFTER THE 1st DECEMBER the steamer "ENTERPRISE" will make weekly trips, leaving on **Wednesdays** and returning on **Thursdays.** no27

NOTICE.

In the matter of the Estate of Thos. Hodges, deceased.

ALL CREDITORS OF THE ESTATE ARE to send in their claims, and all Debtors to the Estate are to pay their accounts forthwith to Mary Hodges, widow of the deceased, to whom Letters of Administration have been granted in the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

J. ROLAND HETT,
Counsel for Mrs. Hodges.
Bastion st., 26th Nov., 1874. no27

H. MITCHELL,
[Late of the firm of Mitchell & Johnson.]
Architect and Landscape Gardener.

PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS PREPARED. Works executed by contract or otherwise.
Orders left at the store of Mitchell & Johnson will be promptly attended to.
Victoria, V. I., Nov. 25th, 1874. no26

A CARD.

VICTORIA, B. C., 25th, 1874.

I BEG TO INFORM THE PUBLIC THAT I have bought and am the only owner of the Restaurant situated on the corner of Government and Johnson streets, and that Wing Hie has not any interest or right in the said Restaurant, and has not had any for over six months past.
no26 1w SAM YIK.

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral,
For Diseases of the Throat and Lungs, such as Coughs, Colds, Whooping Coughs, Bronchitis, Asthma and Consumption.

The few compositions which have won the confidence of mankind and become household words among not only one but many nations, must have extraordinary virtues. Perhaps no one ever secured so wide a reputation, or maintained it so long, as AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL. It has been known to the public about forty years, by a long continued series of marvellous cures, that have won for it a confidence in its virtues, never equalled by any other medicine. It still makes the most effectual cures of **Coughs Colds, Consumption,** that can be made by medical skill. Indeed the CHERRY PECTORAL has really robbed these dangerous diseases of their terrors, to a great extent, and given a feeling of immunity from their fatal effects that is well founded, if the remedy be taken in season. Every family should have it in their closet for the ready and prompt relief of its members. Sickness, suffering, and even life is saved by this timely protection. The prudent should not neglect it, and the wise will not. Keep it by you for the protection it affords by its timely use in sudden attacks.

PREPARED BY
Dr. J. C. AYER & Co., Lowell, Mass.,
Practical and Analytical Chemists.
SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS AND DEALERS IN MEDICINE.
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NOTICE.
Team for Hire.

GEO. FRANCIS begs to notify the public that his Teams stands opposite his Stable on Trounce alley ready for hire at any hour of the Day or Night.
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LUMBER!

OF ALL KINDS FOR SALE AT DICKSON-CAMPBELL'S Wharf, Store street, by the undersigned.
no11 1w J. A. RAYMUR.

New Advertisements.

LOST.

ON BOARD THE STEAMSHIP LOS ANgeles, a Silver Watch and Gold Albert Chain with Locket.
A reward of $25 will be paid to anybody bringing the same to Langley & Co's, Yates street. no25

J. Randolph & Co.,

WISH TO INFORM THE PUBLIC OF Victoria that they are prepared to undertake all kinds of

HOUSE CLEANING,
CARPET BEATING,
WHITEWASHING,
COLORING,
GLAZING, &c.

Orders left at Mr. FAWCETT'S, Government street, or at our residence, Collinson st., next to French Hospital, will be promptly attended to. no25 1m*

A CARD.

VICTORIA, 24th Nov., 1874.

AS IT MAY BE THOUGHT THAT THE statement in the COLONIST newspaper, dated 23d November, signed by me, referred to Mr. Sam Kee of Yates street, merchant tailor, I wish to explain that such was not my intention, but was intended for another party, as will appear by the corrected advertisement in to-day's paper; and I hereby apologise to Mr. Sam Kee for any annoyance the error may have occasioned. no26 1t WING HIE.

BAINES AND PITTS

OFFER FOR SALE

FLOUR Clarendon Mills Baker's Extra,
Yamhill Extra Superfine,
Phœnix do do
Albany do do

FEED Middlings,
Bran,

BUTTER California Roll in cases,
do do in Boxes,
do kegs.
Oregon kits.

CHEESE Eastern, in Drums,
California in Cases.

COAL OIL Downer's Kerosene
Taylor's Defiance, high test.

ALDEN Dried Fruit and Vegetables.

Comb Honey in 2lb. Tins,
Strained Honey in 5 gal. Tins,
China Rice Nos. 1 and 2,
Costa Rica Coffee,
Hams,
Bacon,
Lard,

AND A GENERAL ASSORTMENT OF

GROCERIES

AT LOW PRICES,
IN LOTS TO SUIT.
no23

DeWiederhold & Co.,
COAL, WOOD, LUMBER
—AND—
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
PRODUCE AND LABOR AGENCY,

WHARF on Government street, James Bay, (formerly known as Kavanagh's.)

ORDERS for Coal and Wood left at Messrs. T. Allsop & Co's, Government street, G. C. Keays, Johnson street, or at the Wharf, will be promptly executed.
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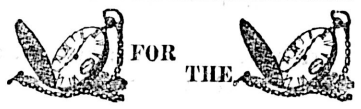

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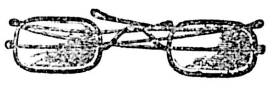

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MASONIC BUILDING, GOVERNMENT ST.,
WATCHMAKER, JEWELLER,
—AND—
OPTICIAN,
[The Oldest and Largest Establishment in the Province.]

Has on hand an Elegant assortment of goods suitable for

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—CONSISTING OF—

WATCHES, CLOCKS, JEWELLERY,
SILVERWARE, PLATEDWARE, SPECTACLES,
FIELD GLASSES, OPERA GLASSES, EYE GLASSES,
CHRONOMETERS, COMPASSES, MUSIC BOXES,
And a Thousand Other Articles in his line.

☞ All orders from the country executed with promptness. no22

A RAFFLE
—FOR—
One Good Horse and two fine Milch Cows,
AT W. THISTLE'S SALOON,
200 Chances at $1 Each. Highest throw to take the Horse. Two Lowest to take the Cows.
no18

Mechanics' LITERARY INSTITUTE.

THE COMMITTEE OF THE ABOVE INstitute respectfully inform the residents of Victoria and vicinity that the winter course of Lectures and Entertainments will commence on Thursday Evening next, Nov. 26th, and they have the honor to announce that the HON. JUSTICE GRAY has kindly consented to deliver the opening Lecture on the occasion. Subject:

THE AVENGER'S MARCH;
Or, a Soldier's Life Twenty Years Ago.

Admission 50 cents; Members of Institute 25 cents, by ticket only: Family Tickets $1, admitting four. Reserved Seats 25 cents extra; may be secured at the Library on Nov. 26th and previous day between the hours of 3 and 5 p.m.
Doors open at half-past 7; Lecture to commence at 8. no21

For Sale—To Let.

FOR SALE.

ONE 6-YEAR OLD LARGE-SIZED Draught Horse, suitable for dray or any heavy work.
ALSO—That well-made 6-year old Gelding "Gladiator." Both Horses work kind and gentle in Single or Double Harness. Can be seen at George Francis' Stable in Trounce Alley.
For particulars apply to THOS. HARRIS,
no15 2w Broad street, Victoria.

TO LEASE.

THE ESTATE OF MR. McHUGH, SAANICH, eight miles from Victoria: is well adapted for Farming or Cattle Grazing, and abounds in game.
Early application is necessary. Inquire at his private residence, Fisgard street, Victoria, from 10 a. m. to 4 p.m.
VICTORIA, Nov. 11, 1874. no12 1m

TO LET.

WITH IMMEDIATE ENTRY—THE COMmodious Dwelling House and Grounds, with Garden, Stables and Coach House attached, near Esquimalt Harbor, known as "The Admiral's Residence," at present occupied by Mr. McKenzie.
For particulars apply to
MR. A. MUNRO,
At the Hudson's Bay Co's office.
Victoria, 24th Oct., 1874. oc26 1m

Old Established Brewery and Saloon For Sale.

THE SALOON AND BREWERY OF THE undersigned, established in 1861 and situated on the Esquimalt Road, half-way between Victoria and Esquimalt, is offered for sale low.
The Buildings are well finished and commodious. The plant of the Brewery is most complete. The land comprises about Two Acres all under fence. There are three never failing Wells of fine Spring Water on the Premises and every appliance for the immediate commencement of Brewing by a Company or Firm with a small capital. Reason for selling, retiring from business.
For particulars apply on the premises.
J. BLAND,
oc17 Half-way House, Esquimalt Road.

NORFOLK FARM, PEDDER BAY, FOR SALE.

THIS FARM CONTAINS 204 ACRES; 70 acres of which are under cultivation.
The Dwelling-house is substantial and contains Eight Rooms. There are commodious Barns, the usual Outhouses, Dairy, etc.
Two neverfailing streams of water course through the farm; one stream will run a mill ten months in the year.
The property will be sold on advantageous terms. Arrangements may be made for the purchase of the Stock and Farming Implements. Apply to
A. BUNSTER,
Johnson st., Victoria.
Or to E. VINE,
oc20dw On the premises.

Wanted.

Wanted.

A FIRST-CLASS BLACKSMITH—Apply to CHAS. BALL,
no22 Johnson St., below Government.

Wanted.

A SERVANT GIRL TO DO GENERAL housework for a small family in this city.
no17 Apply at THIS OFFICE.

Wanted.

A WOMAN FOR GENERAL WORK in a small family in this city. Apply to
MRS. BARNARD,
no11 Duval Cottage.

Wanted.

A FEMALE SERVANT FOR GENERAL Housework in a small family, to whom Liberal Wages will be paid. A middle-aged woman preferred. Application to be made at the office of this paper.
no1

Teacher Wanted.

APPLICATION FOR A FIRST-CLASS TEACHER for the Nanaimo Public School, will be received up to the 15th December Salary, $100 per month. By order of the School Trustees.
ARTHUR FINNEY, Secty.
NANAIMO, Oct. 29th, 1874. oc31

THE FINE ARTS.

TO BE RAFFLED AT THE ALHAMBRA Hall (on completion of the list of Subscribers) FOUR ORIGINAL OIL PAINTINGS by Mr. James Syme, representing respectively the following scenes:

The Yo-Semite Falls,
The Pitt River Meadows,
Burrard Inlet from Point Grey, and
The Ruins of Dunkeld Cathedral.

275 CHANCES $1 EACH.

FOUR PRIZES—The two highest and two lowest throws to win. The highest to have the choice.
These pictures were awarded the First and Second Prizes of their class at the late Exhibition. oc11

TO BE RAFFLED

AT THE ORIENTAL SALOON,
ONE NEEDLEWORKED
ELIZABETHAN CHAIR,
The property of a young Lady of this city, as soon a the chances are taken.
oc27 150 CHANCES at $1.

ST. JOSEPH'S HOSPITAL.

THE PUBLIC ARE RESPECTFULLY NOtified that Messrs. P. McPiernan, T. Burnes, W. Tierney, H. Thibert, E. McGuill are authorized to take up a collection for the construction of an Hospital to be entrusted to the Sisters of Charity. Lists of subscription will be deposited at several business places throughout the city. The amount collected 9 years ago, $1200, together with the proceeds both of the present collection and of a society to be soon organized, will be devoted to the erection of an Hospital as soon as plans and specifications are ready.
This Hospital will be open to all persons without distinction either of creed or nationality.
Until the above institution shall be provided with sufficient means to be self-supporting, only a limited number of patients will be admitted free of charge.
CHAS. J. SEGHERS,
Bishop of Vancouver Island.
Victoria, Nov. 9, 1874. no10 1mdw

TENDERS.

CANADIAN PACIFIC TELEGRAPH.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UP TO the 3d Dec. next, for the Chopping and clearing a width of 132 feet along the proposed Telegraph Line on the North Thompson, between a point 25 miles above Kamloops and "Clearwater."
The work will be laid off in sections.
Specifications can be seen at CAMPBELL'S, Cache Creek; MARA & WILSON'S, Kamloops; and at the Office of the Contractors at Yale, New Westminster and Victoria.
Ample time will be given for the completion of the work, so as to enable contractors to take advantage of weather, &c.
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
Tender to be addressed E. DEWDNEY, Esq., Cache Creek, and endorsed TENDER FOR CHOPPING TELEGRAPH LINE.
no4dw F. J. BARNARD, Contractor C. P. T.

OAT HAY FOR SALE

THE UNDERSIGNED OFFERS A QUANtity of OAT HAY for sale at Reasonable Rates.
GEO. LINDSAY, Lake District.
Orders may be left at the Farm, or with Wm. Gibson, Green, cor. Yates and Douglas streets, Victoria.
no5

REMOVAL!

TO THE
MARKET EXCHANGE HOTEL,
FORT STREET.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING PURCHASed the business of the late G. R. Hudson, will reopen the above Hotel on

Tuesday Evening, Nov. 24th,

For the accommodation of the public. The Proprietor of the above establishment, in returning thanks to his friends and the public for past favors, would respectfully solicit a continuance of their support.

Particular attention paid to Family Trade.
FRANK SAUNDERS.

P. S.—The Business of the HALL SALOON will in future be conducted by H. D. Saunders.
no24

New Advertisements.

A dream came o'er me as I lay
With head on pillow pressed,
Of such a splendid fitting Coat
And Pants and such a Vest.
Me thought that as I walked abroad
All eyes on me were cast,
But ah! my dream it passed away,
'Twas far too bright to last;
But still before my eager gaze
Would come the dream of other days.

One day as I walked out alone,
My mind with sadness fraught,
I wondered if in this great town
Such Clothing could be bought;
Just then a friend was passing by,
Who saw the sadness in my eye,
So kindly asked me him to tell
What grief on me had cast a spell;
I told him of the vision seen,
Said he, Go buy of **DAVID GREEN.**
no18

JEWELLERY.

WATCHES. **CLOCKS.**

H. RUDOLPH,
Government Street, near St. Nicholas Hotel,

Has been induced to add to his Stock a Splendid Assortment of all kinds of

SUPERB JEWELLERY, WATCHES & CLOCKS,

SUITABLE FOR CHRISTMAS PRESENTS, &c.,

Which he will offer at unprecedented Low Prices!

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H. R. will still continue *MANUFACTURING*, which he has so successfully carried on in Victoria for the last Ten Years, he being the *ONLY PRACTICAL JEWELLER* in British Columbia. no17

A $ Saved is a $ Gained!

TO PROVE THAT PROVERB TRUE GO TO

J. H. Todd's Store, Yates St.

WHERE YOU WILL FIND THE LARGEST,

BEST AND CHEAPEST STOCK IN VICTORIA

Of the following Goods, which he sells

BOTH WHOLESALE AND RETAIL:

MEN'S OVER and UNDER CLOTHING, a full stock.
BOYS' AND YOUTHS' CLOTHING in great variety,
MEN'S, BOYS' AND YOUTHS' HATS, the latest styles,
CANADIAN CHEESE,
MYRTLE NAVY and SOLACE TOBACCO,
The Webster & Gardner SEWING MACHINES,
A FULL STOCK OF LIGHT & HEAVY HARNESS,
CANADIAN SOCKS and WOOLEN YARN.

Also—To Arrive Shortly, Canadian Prime Butter.
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BEAUTIFUL GASLIGHT

At Your Own Fireside.

THE "EXCELSOR" SAFETY BURNER!

Brilliancy and Economy Combined!

DOES ENTIRELY AWAY WITH LAMP CHIMNIES.

NO SMOKE! NO SMELL!! NO CLEANING!!!

Fits all sizes of Kerosene and Coal Oil Lamps now in use.

A PLATE CAN BE HELD AN INCH FROM THE TOP OF THE LIGHT AND WILL NOT BE SMOKED!

The SAFETY BURNER is now used in England, United States and France, and Patents have been secured in three Countries.

FOR SALE BY
J. P. FITERRE,
Agent for British Columbia.
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ANNUAL DINNER.

THE
ST. ANDREW'S AND CALEDONIAN SOCIETY
WILL HOLD THEIR
ANNUAL DINNER
On St. Andrew's Day,
MONDAY, 30th, NOV.,
AT THE DRIARD HOUSE, AT 7:30 P. M.

TICKETS $1 50 each, to be had of the following Members of the Committee:—James Burns, John Ross, James Mann and Thos. Russell.
Tickets to be obtained of Messrs. Hibben & Co., Redfern's, Bagnall's, also from members of Committee.
By order, WM. GIBSON.
no20 Asst. Secretary.

NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

THE PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS MAY be seen at my office, on Kane street, where Tenders will be received till 12 m., on Monday, the 7th day of December next, for the erection of a two-story Stone Warehouse at Nanaimo, for John Hirst, Esq.
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
THOS. TROUNCE, Architect.
Kane st., Victoria, Nov. 21st, 1874. no22

Estate of G. R. Hudson, deceased.

PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST the Estate of G. R. Hudson, deceased, are required to present them to the undersigned on or before the 12th December next.
MATTHEW T. JOHNSTON,
no22 Administrator of the Estate.

JUST LANDING,
EX LADY GERTRUDE.

15 packages Fine Jamaica Rum,
10 qr. casks Haut Roope Port,
8 packages Fine Scotch Whisky,
20 qr. casks Hennessy Brandy,
100 cases do do
50 cases Martell Brandy,
40 cases Dunville Whiskey
30 cases Scotch Whiskey,
100 boxes Price's Candles.

A. CASAMAYOU & CO.
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NOTICE.

TO THE MINERS OF CASSIAR.

A REPORT HAVING BEEN FALSELY circulated that we intend to collect Toll on Provisions hauled in by miners on the ice or packed in on their backs for their own use over the Dease Lake Trail, we beg to state that the Toll Collector was instructed the past season to allow Miners and Prospectors to pass with their packs FREE OF CHARGE, that we have never altered this rule, nor do we intend to make a change in the same.
no21 1mdw WM. MOORE & CO.

Daily British Colonist.

FRIDAY MORNING, NOV. 27TH, 1874.

THE BRITISH COLONIST

Is the only Paper Published at Victoria that receives Regular Telegraphic Dispatches.

BIRTHS.

At Victoria, Nov. 26th, the wife of Mr. Colin McDonald, of Langley, B.C., of a son.

AUCTION SALES TO-DAY.

PLUMMER & PAGDEN, Wharf street, will sell at 12 o'clock, noon, on the premises occupied by Mr Clarke, North Saanich, 25 head Superior Cattle.

Court of Assize and Gaol Delivery.

[Before Mr. Justice Crease.]

THURSDAY, Nov. 26th.

AT LARGE.

John Brown, indicted for being at large when under a 10 years' sentence of penal servitude, pleaded guilty and was remanded for sentence.

STEALING A WATCH.

Kate Glenn, *alias* "Modoc," indicted for stealing a gold watch and chain, the property of Joseph Garnier, pleaded not guilty.

Mr. Robertson appeared for the defence, and a jury (Mr. J. Goodacre foreman) was empanelled.

Counsel for the defence exercised the right of challenge, and objected to 9 of the jury summoned.

Mr. Mason (acting for the Attorney-General) in addressing the jury said the prosecutor was cook at the Colonial Hotel, New Westminster; he left his watch and chain in his bed-room, and he found on returning to look for them they were missing. The day after the watch was stolen the prisoner left in the steamer for Victoria.

Joseph Garnier sworn—Know the prisoner; she had been staying several days at the Colonial Hotel, New Westminster; did not ask her if she had stolen the watch; it was a gold watch marked with the initials, "J. G.;" a chain was appended to it; the initials were now altered to "K. G."

Cross-examined by Mr. Robertson—Left my watch in the bed-room, in the garret; other persons slept in that part of the hotel; the door of my bed-room was not locked; I saw a little Siwash in my room; said he wanted needles and thread; put the watch in my room at 4½ o'clock; on returning at 7 found it gone; the door of the room was not locked; there were many persons stopping at the hotel; Kate Glenn was there; thought at first the Siwash had stolen my watch and accused him; I did not cause Kate Glenn's trunk to be searched because I thought the Siwash had stolen it. Prisoner had been stopping at the hotel some four or five days.

By the jury—Do you know the number of the watch?

Witness—The number was 4740.

Inspector Bowden sworn—Found the watch in the possession of the prisoner on Trounce Alley; arrested her on the charge of knowing it to be stolen; saw the prisoner with the watch and asked her to allow me to look at it, which she did; on examination found it corresponded with description of the one stolen, only the initials were "K. G.," not "J. G." She told me a man who was going to the mines in the spring had sent her the watch; found by enquiries made at the jewellers' shops in town that she had caused the marks to be altered.

Cross-examined—When first seen the watch and chain were exposed to view on her person; it had a large gold chain attached; never knew prisoner to be accused of theft before.

Hy. Rudolph sworn—I am a jeweller; had seen the watch before; it was left in my care by Mr. Jungermann to have the initials altered.

By Judge Crease—The alteration in the letters of the initials were not on the same level.

J. L. Jungermann sworn—Have seen the watch before; took it to Mr. Rudolph to change the initials; received the watch from the prisoner in my place of business.

By the jury—Witness did not make a memorandum of the number.

H. Rudolph recalled—Did not make any memorandum of the number of the watch; it was not customary.

By Judge Crease—Witness was quite sure of the identity of the watch; had it to repair before from Mr. Garnier.

Mr. Robertson, addressing the jury for the defence—The evidence adduced was calculated to excite surprise; but he would show there was not sufficient legal evidence to justify the charge of guilty against the prisoner. These propositions must be established before a verdict of guilty could be sustained: 1st, that the watch was the property of the paosecutor; next that the prisoner took the watch; and 3rd, knew it to be stolen. Prisoner's defence was that the watch had been placed in her hands by a man who slept at her house, for unfortunately the way in which this woman got her living will not bear favorable consideration; but such a woman, neverthe. of honesty. may have proper notions less, Inspector Bowden who had known the prisoner for some two years, knew nothing against her character. The learned counsel it would be useless to bring as a witness for the defence, the man prisoner spoke of has giving her the watch, as her exculpation would fasten guilt upon such witness. Reference was here made to the open and undisguised manner in which the prisoner wore the watch when arrested as a proof of her innocence.

Judge Crease, addressing the jury, pointed out what constituted larceny, and recapitulated the evidence. There was nothing to show the hand of the prisoner took the watch, but the changing of the initials of the watch, was of a very suspicious character of what the jury would form their opinion.

The jury returned a verdict of not guilty.

STEALING A WATCH.

John Gallagher, indicted for stealing a watch, the property of Augustus Langford Brown, pleaded not guilty. He was undefended.

A jury was impannelled, (R. H. Austen, Foreman.) The names of absent jurors were put by for fines.

The Acting Attorney-General having opened the case for the jury called the following evidence:

Augustus Langford Brown sworn—Recollected losing his watch in May last; stopped at the Prince of Wales Hotel: slept there; had his watch there; had his watch then. Missed his watch, finding only part of the chain left; could swear to the watch; (watch here shown and identified.) Could not recollect falling asleep in the back yard, but believed he did so.

George Coleman, sworn — Keep the Prince of Wales saloon. Remembered the 21st of May, the prosecutor slept at his house; he came and got several drinks before breakfast; he then went in the back yard, and lay down and fell asleep; I awoke him. The barkeeper on calling him returned saying, Brown has lost his watch; I went for the police; locked up the house and had every one there searched; we did not find the watch. I know little of the prisoner; he is not in the habit of frequenting my hotel.

James Sewell, sworn—Recollected the 21st of May, was then in Mr. Coleman's employ; recollected Mr. Brown sleeping there; saw he had a watch and chain on the first thing in the morning; he wore it in his vest. The prosecutor had some beer; witness was absent half an hour, on returning prosecutor told he had lost his watch; the prisoner had left before I returned. [The broken chain of the watch was identified.]

Richard Haggerty, sworn— Had seen the prisoner before; he called at my store to sell a watch; asked the prisoner to leave the watch with me; I showed it to Mr. Lange, who said the police had received information about the watch having been stolen; upon this intimation I went for the police and gave the man in charge.

Prisoner declined questioning the witness.

Inspector Bowden sworn, and corroborated previous witness about recognizing the watch.

Judge Crease, in addressing the jury, said there was nothing in the evidence to show that the prisoner took the watch. If they thought the prisoner had neither stolen the watch nor received it, they would give him the benefit of the doubt. The circumstance of the prisoner treating the watch as his own, and offering it for sale, without troubling himself to find the proper owner was brought prominently under notice of the jury.

The jury retired to consider their verdict, returning with a verdict of "Guilty" on the count, accompanied by a strong recommendation to mercy on account of the length of the prisoner had been imprisoned awaiting trial.

RAPE.

John Steele, indicted for making an assault, and carnally knowing one Matilda Smalbone, was then placed in the dock and pleaded not guilty. The prisoner was undefended.

The Acting Attorney-General, in addressing the jury, remarked that he was glad to say cases of the character before the court were not frequent in this community. The consent of the child was no defence for the prisoner. It would be shown that the prisoner admitted his guilt and evidence would be forthcoming to prove his guilt.

Matilda Smallbone, on being sworn, was interogated by the learned Judge as to the nature and solemnity of an oath, which she answered intelligently. Knew the prisoner; his name is John Steele; one day when my parents were absent he committed the offence charged in the indictment, on which occasion he told the witness he would kill her if she told her mother.

The prisoner on being asked whether he had any questions to ask was cautioned by the Judge not to criminate himself.

The prisoner here put several questions to the witness as to the dates of the offence, and as to her parents being absent; but nothing important was elicited.

Mary Ann Smallbone sworn—Know the prisoner by the name of John Steel; he worked about the garden; had conversation with him about the 5th or 6th of October last; he came into my kitchen and said he had to tell me something for he could not rest; he told me he had ruined my daughter; when my husband, who was at the Saanich Show, returned I told him all about it; my husband ran at the prisoner with a pitchfork, when he ran away.

The prisoner put some questions to the witness which were of an immaterial character.

Charles Smallbone sworn—Recollect the 9th of October; in consequence of information received from my wife I accosted the prisoner, who admitted he had been interfering with my children; whereupon I took steps for his being given into custody.

Trifling questions were here again put to the witness by the prisoner.

John Sebastian Helmcken gave evidence showing that the offence had been committed.

The learned Judge then addressed the jury and summed up against the prisoner

The jury retired to consider their verdict, and after a lapse of 10 minutes returned with a verdict of "guilty."

The Court here adjourned till Friday at 10 a. m.

Strike of a C. P. R. S. Party!

Eight men, comprising the majority of the Trutch party of railway surveyors, arrived down yesterday, having left Camp on Monday last. The men say their tents were leaky, that their blankets were too few; that for the first month and a half the bacon served out was rusty; that they were sent out in nearly all weathers; and (to cap all) that when they were compelled to lay by on a week day they had to make up the lost time on the following Sunday! We learn, upon inquiry, that this was not the experience of the other railway parties sent out this summer. Mr. Trutch intends to finish the survey with the help of Indians.

THE JURY in the case of a prisoner tried yesterday found him guilty with a recommendation to mercy *in consequence of the length of time the prisoner had been incarcerated awaiting trial.* This is a proper recommendation; but suppose the man had been acquitted: would the jury have recommended compensation?

AT LILLOOET, on the 18th, loaded wagons drawn by horses crossed on the ice-bound bosom of Father Fraser.

TOTAL LOSS.—Mr. Muir reports the schooner Surprise broken up and gone to pieces.

H. M. S. PETEREL arrived from the Southern Coast *via* San Francisco yesterday at noon.

Lower Fraser.

On Saturday last a canoe, containing Mr. Gladwin of Yale, a Mexican and two Indians, was capsized in the Fraser, alongside the Onward at Murderer's Bar. Mr. Gladwin and one of the Indians were saved. The Mexican and the other Indian were drowned.

A prisoner sentenced by J. A. Mara, Esq., J. P., at Kamloops, to six months' imprisonment for selling liquor to Indians, was brought down to New Westminster gaol.

Last week the weather was very stormy and since that considerable snow and much rain has fallen. At Sumass the snow fell to a depth of 10 inches.

The steamer Lillooet has taken final leave, having gone to Victoria, where her boilers will be transferred to a new boat and her hull, &c., dismantled. The Lillooet has done good service.

The Lillooet Election.

Letters from Clinton state that there were 96 votes cast in the recent election, distributed as follows:—Clinton, 42; Lillooet, 20; 21-Mile House, 12; Lake La Hache, 15; Dog Creek, 7. No one knows who the Chinamen voted for, but it is generally thought their votes were split between the three candidates. Saul and his friends are greatly distressed at the result. They were confident of a clear majority over Humphreys of ten or fifteen, and do not attempt to conceal their chagrin. It is reported that the Reformers have knowledge of three clear cases of bribery and corruption on the Government side. When the returns were read the thermometer stood at 20° below zero out of compliment to the feelings of the defeated party.

MECHANICS' INSTITUTE.—A large and enlightened audience assembled at the Mechanics' Institute last evening to hear the lecture by Judge Gray. The learned lecturer commenced his remarks by a description of the Indian Constitution up to the time of the outbreak and the immediate causes which brought it on, namely, the attempt to put down the superstition and belief in caste. He then went on to describe Cawnpore, the scene of the massacre of some 750 Europeans by Nana Sahib. He then described the mutiny from the outbreak at Meerut on the 10th of May, 1857, through the siege of Cawnpore, and the horrors and sufferings of the poor besieged up to the arrival of Havelock and the terrible vengeance he enacted from the perpetrators of those fearful scenes. He then turns from that bloody page of history to the great change in the State of India, and her advances in civilization since the mutiny, and adverted, in comparison, to the prospects of the Queen's Dominions in the West. He hoped that sectional divisions would be prevented from arising amongst us lest they should cause us to descend in the scale of civilization as had Greece, once unsurpassed in the world in all arts and sciences known to civilization, depicted in Byron's lament over her, with which beautiful quotation the learned gentleman concluded his lecture. A vote of thanks was tendered to the lecturer, and the company dispersed well satisfied with their evening's entertainment, as evinced by frequent outbursts of applause during the lecture.

GONE!—We learn that the greater portion of the road recently constructed over Cowichan Flats, at a cost to the country of something like five thousand dollars, has just been washed away. This is the road respecting which there has been considerable discussion recently in our columns, Mr. James Fleming and other intelligent and reliable settlers contending that the Government had perpetrated a palpable and inexcusable blunder in locating the road and predicting the very result which has happened so soon; Mr. Dod's, the Government overseer, on the other hand, maintaining, with less argument than dogmatism and conceit, that the location was wise and the road a good permanent one. The disastrous sequel proves the aforesaid settlers to have been right and the Government and their self-sufficient overseer wrong. How long, we should like to know, is common sense to be scouted and the people's money fooled away by a pack of "nincompoops" under the pretence of public improvements? There is not a district in the Province that does not echo, "How long?"

INDEED!—A writer in the Government organ appears to think that directing the attention of the Canadian or Imperial Government to the improper system of fitting out H. M. ships at San Francisco is neither part nor parcel of the duty of the Local Government. Yet we doubt very much if either of the firstnamed Governments are aware of the innovation; and surely it would not be asking too much of the Provincial Government to request that they should at least inform Ottawa or Downing street of what it going on here with respect to the Fleet Perhaps the grievance will form the subject of another petition to the foot of the Throne next summer. Who knows? They say that the Chief Commissioner is dying to take a trip across the herring-pond, of course at Government expense.

SOOKE BRIDGE.—Yesterday we referred to the carrying away of this bridge by a freshet. Since that we learn that only a portion of the structure—about 150 feet we believe—has been carried away and that the damage could be repaired for seven or eight hundred dollars. The object of the present remarks is to urge upon the Government the duty of immediate action. To leave the breach made by the freshet until the sanction of the Legislature can be obtained would obviously be a great injustice to the settlers whose sole means of communication has thus been cut off. Nor is there the slightest necessity to delay, as the sanction of the Legislature may well be taken for granted.

GIVE CREDIT TO WHOM CREDIT IS DUE. A mistaken prejudice prevails here that Dominion Manufacturers cannot compete with foreign ones. To those, however, who are so stubbornly biased with this conviction, they must admit that there are exceptions, and a palpable evidence to the contrary exists, not only in economy and styles, but in material and economy. As evidence of this attention is respectfully called to the choice selection of Pocket and Office Diaries for 1875, recently imported from Canada. The renowned house of Letts & Sons, London, is also represented by Diaries for 1875.—T. N. HIBBEN & Co. 2m

THE Enterprise brought $50,000 in Barnard's Express.

The Railway Surveys.

In every party except the one under Mr. Trutch, stakes have been pulled up and tents struck. More really useful and well-directed surveying has been accomplished in British Columbia this season than all that was done before, and we are glad to believe that when the results of the season's work shall have been laid before the Engineer-in-Chief at Ottawa he will find himself in a position to definitely decide the vexed question of routes and proceed with the location of the line. It is neither within our province nor our power to say definitely or authoritatively by which route the railway shall reach the seaboard; but it would be little better than affectation to conceal the impression that recent events, both engineering and political, look towards the valley of the Fraser. Some months since we stated that there was a probability of Mr. Sandford Fleming coming over here to utilize the results of the past season's work; but we have reason for believing that this part of the programme has been considerably modified. Mr. Fleming will not come over. It will be necessary for him to be near Mr. Mackenzie before and during the session of Parliament. The principal members of the staff in this Province will go to Ottawa; but a portion will in all probability remain and do their office work here.

Distressing Accident—Two Persons Drowned.

Capt. Lawson, who arrived from San Juan Island yesterday, reports that on Wednesday, the 18th inst., a man named John Hendricks and a boy named Willie Bailey, son of Mr. N. C. Bailey, of the limekiln, sailed from Kanaka Bay, San Juan, in an open whaleboat to come to Victoria. A terrific gale was raging at the time, and as neither boat nor occupants have since been heard of it is supposed the boat was swamped during the gale, she being heavily laden with hogs, wheat, etc. Willie Bailey was a bright, intelligent lad, aged about ten years. He was born at Victoria, and was on his way to visit his father, who is lying dangerously ill in this city. His mother is at San Juan, and is as yet unaware of the loss of her boy. Hendricks was a native of Finland, aged 32 years, and had resided for about two years on the island.

COMMENDABLE.—The people of Sumas and Chilliwhack settlements have subscribed the sum of $51 towards the support of the British Columbia Orphans' Home, and we believe this is only the first instalment from those generous people. The amount was handed over yesterday by D. W. Miller, Esq., J. P., of Sumass. It is to be hoped that the good example thus set by these settlements will be speedily followed by others, as recent large additions to the number of orphans demand enlarged liberality on the part of the people.

FROM THE COAST.—The schooner Alert arrived from Queen Charlotte Island on Wednesday evening. Very rough weather was experienced on the voyage. At Alert Bay Mr. Patterson, C.E., was taken on board and brought down as far as Nanaimo. There was no news of importance, and all (save the wind and waves) was quiet along the seaboard. At Nanaimo winter appeared to have set in, the snow being over a foot deep.

THE steamer Enterprise brought the following passengers from New Westminster yesterday: Mr. and Mrs. Edwards, Mrs. Wells, Mrs. Bonter, Mrs. Switzer, Messrs. J. T. Scott, Jenkinson, Sterling, T. Harper, Buck, D.W. Miller, Richardson, J. McIntosh, Jane, Parker, Musselmen.

THE steamer Enterprise returned yesterday noon from New Westminster. She encountered frightful weather on the passage up. She left New Westminster on Wednesday, but had to anchor overnight in a storm of wind, rain and snow at the mouth of the river.

THE steamer Enterprise will commence her weekly trips on Dec. 1st, leaving Victoria on Wednesday and returning on Thursday.

THE schooner Fanny Hare was drawn off the Spit by the steamer Etta White yesterday, and towed alongside the Hudson Bay Co's wharf.

FOOT OF THE THRONE.—The latest advice respecting Mr. Walkem's movements is that he is still lying at the foot of the Throne.

THE sloop Yellow Lane, Capt. Madden, arrived from Woodcock's Landing, Skeena River, yesterday, bringing one passenger—Mr. Walsh.

INSPECTION.—Col. Houghton goes to New Westminster to-day for annual inspection of the Militia.

GEOLOGICAL.—Mr. Richardson, geologist, returned from the canons yesterday and will go home in a few days.

An Inquiry.

VICTORIA, Nov. 26th, 1874.

EDITOR BRITISH COLONIST:—Some three weeks ago a notice appeared in your paper announcing the death of Mrs. Johnson in Lake District, late of the English Bazaar, Government street. Can any of your readers inform me when the funeral took place, or where Mrs. Johnson was buried? INQUIRER.

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A. GILMORE has just received a large invoice of *Oregon Tweeds and Flannels*, also, a large lot of *White Patent-fitting Shirts*, which will be sold CHEAP. Also, *Overcoats and Raglans, Boys' Clothing* and *Hats* of all sizes.

A BAPTIST VOTER.—At our primary election one of our sturdy sons of the mountains came into town to exercise his right as a free sovereign of a free State, and cast his vote for the man of his choice. He approached the polls and handed in his ticket. "What is the name?" asked one of the judges. "Johnson," was the reply. "Yes, but what is your other name?" The mountaineer became indignant, and declared that he had but one name, evidently thinkina the official took him for a repeater. "Yes, but what is your Christian name?" said the judge. "My Christain name," replied the old back-woodsman; "why, if you want to that, why I am a Raptist." And so the man and vote were registered "Johnson the Baptist."—"Tuscumdia Chronicle."

WM. CULLEN BRYANT ON A THIRD TERM.—The President of the United States seems desirous to leave the Republican party no alternative but suicide or his renomination—to destroy itself or to be destroyed. This is a great sacrifice to make, but, if necessary, it will not be too great for the lession it will teach. It will give President Grant the unenviable distinction of being the first and the last of our Chief Magistrates who has presumed to look upon a third term to lust after it.—"N. Y. Post."

WORTH NOTICING.—An entire new stock of *Fine Gold and Silver Watches and Chains* and a splendid assortment of every description of *Jewelery and Clocks*, all of late selection, are offered for sale at LOW FIGURES by G. W. A. LANGE, Yates st., Victoria, B.C. 3m

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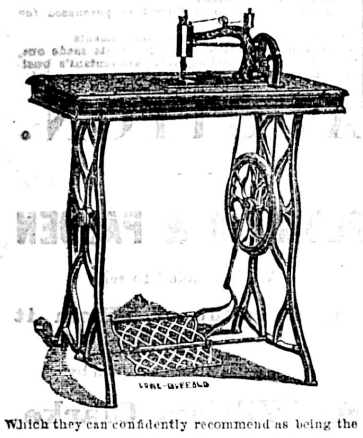

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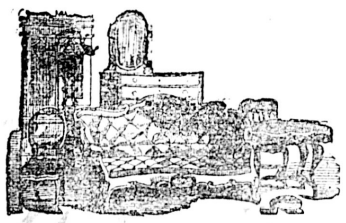

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GOVERNMENT STREET, Victoria.
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Tea and Coffee Dealer,

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BEST JAVA COFFEE FRESH ROASTED and ground daily.

Goods delivered to any part of the city. je10

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CESSPOOLS CLEANSED AT THE SHORTEST notice. Regular days for moving dust—Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. Is prepared to do all kinds of job work in his line at reasonable rates.

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Every manipulation of the Doctor's was closely watched, from the adjustment of the **Rubber Dam** and its appliances to their teeth, to the formation of proper cavities and retaining pits therein, the **Packing and Condensation of Gold** and the subsequent polishing and burnishing of the same.

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2,500 ROLLS WALL-PAPER,

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W. J. Jeffree's Clothing Store, cor. Yates and Government sts.,
G. W. Anderson's Bakery, Fort st.,
And at the Wharf, Store street, will meet with immediate attention. oc14

In the Legislative Assembly

SESSION 1874-5.

CITY OF VICTORIA, 23d Nov., 1874.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT IT is intended to make application to the Legislative Assembly during the next ensuing session for leave to bring in a Bill to consolidate and amend the Ordinances and Statutes now in force relating to the Corporation of the City of Victoria.

WM. LEIGH,
no24 6w Clerk Municipal Council.

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FOR RESTORING GREY HAIR

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Victoria, 23d Nov., 1874. no24

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VICTORIÆ REGINÆ.

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA, B. C.

BY-LAW making all By-laws now in force applicable to the Extended City Limits.

WHEREAS by Letters Patent dated the Ninth day May, A. D. 1873, under the Great Seal of the Province of British Columbia, the Limits of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as they then existed were extended,

AND WHEREAS doubts have arisen as to whether the By-laws in force at the date of the said Letters Patent apply to the newly Incorporated Limits; and it is expedient to remove such doubts,

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the Mayor and Councillors of the City of Victoria as follows:

1. That all By-laws of the Corporation of the City of Victoria in force at the date of the said Letters Patent shall, subject to any amendments since made thereto, be deemed to apply and extend and are hereby declared to apply and extend to the additional Limits of the City of Victoria, as established by the said Letters Patent.

2. This By-law may be cited for all purposes as the Extended Limits By-law, 1874.

Passed the Municipal Council this 19th day of November, A. D. 1874.

WM. DALBY,
MAYOR.

W. LEIGH,
Clerk to the Municipal Council. no22

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